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- ☒ A signed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (6 pgs.).
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In response to the "Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DE/EO/US)" (see enclosed copy), we submit the Signed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.

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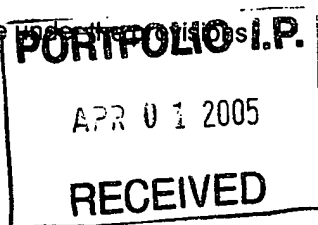
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- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
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